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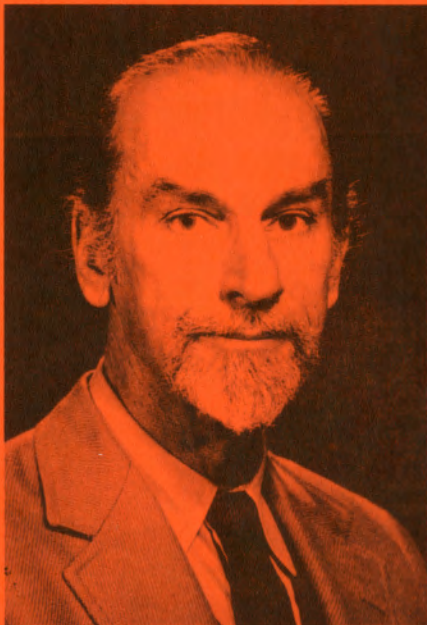
20th Annual Carl L. Becker Memorial Lecture

“The Revolution of Life”

Leo A. Loubère
Professor of History Emeritus
State University of New York at Buffalo

Wednesday, September 22
8:00 p.m.
Sabin Hall, Room 102

Sponsored by the UNI Department of History and Phi Alpha Theta



Leo A. Loubère, author of several books on nineteenth-century French radicalism and social history, states: “The only general statement passing all tests of validity is that the condition of Europe in 1914 was considerably different from that of 1814. The extent of change varied, but nearly everywhere it occurred at an unprecedented rate. Within about four generations, most Europeans came to live under different forms of government, of economic organization, of social conditions, and ways of thinking.” In this lecture, Professor Loubère will explore the dynamic of history resulting from the interrelationship of these spheres of

activity. He will emphasize how official decisions and economic conditions altered people's standards of living as well as class structure, influencing in turn the level of culture.

